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I would like to comment on the possible label requirement to include Trans Fatty Acids with Nutrition Labeling.

I have been concerned about this hydrogenation matter for a couple of years and feel it is extremely important to have the information available regarding this dangerous fat. I do not believe it would be confusing. I feel it is more confusing without it because people believe they are reducing fat without having this one reported. And there is no way to guess when you see the words "partially hydrogenated".

I quit using margarine for this very reason. At least with butter you can better judge how much fat you are getting, just use less or none.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Very truly yours,

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